

# Fort Hamilton News

September 30 2005

#### **Job Vacancies**

Go to www.usajobs.com for listings or www.cpol.army.mil

#### Fort Hamilton Barber Shop

is looking for a licensed Barber...call 718 745-6836 speak to Fred Gist...Open daily except Mondays.

#### Attention all Soldiers!!

Army Emergency Relief has a new program that will help expedite your 'request for Financial Assistance. It's called "The Commanders Referral Program". Under this program your Commander or First Sergeant, can authorize up to \$1000 of emergency need. You still must fill out DA Form 1103 and have your Commander or First Sergeant sign item 19 and note "Commanders Referral" after their signature. You must also meet eligibility requirements and not be on the AER restricted list. All you have to do after the Commander or First Sergeant has signed the application, is bring the documents to the AER Officer, and a check will be printed for you. This program is only for Active Duty Soldiers and can only be used twice per year by the Soldier. A soldier or family member can still get emergency financial assistance through the AER office at anytime the need arises.

# **Girls Scouts Meeting Day Change**

Meetings change from Fridays to Mondays. 5:30 – 7:00PM at the Post Chapel. First meeting is this Monday Oct. 3. Looking for Brownie and Daisy leaders to help out. Registration is \$10.00 and monthly dues are \$10.00.

Thanks! Michelle Macdonald, MCSE Information Technology Specialist, GCISD Server Team Phone: (718) 630-2901

### Military History Cinema Night

Thursday, September 29th 7:00 PM The Harbor Defense Museum of Fort Hamilton hosts a monthly discussion series on how war is depicted on film. The featured movie will be <u>"Hamburger Hill" (1987)</u>--a look at combat soldiers during the Vietnam War.

Location: Museum's lecture room at Fort Hamilton Army Base (101st Street and Fort Hamilton Parkway).

Free Admission. Seats are limited, so please call for reservations. Contact name: Paul Morando Tel: 718-630-4349 Email: morandop@hamilton.army.mil

# A Farewell Party for one of Fort Hamilton's finest...

Please join us for a Going Away Party for Nan Tyree, AFTB,AFAP Program Manager at Fort Hamilton on Thursday, September 29th from 5-7PM at Fort Hamilton Bowling Alley...For those who would like to contribute toward her gift, contact Barbara Thompson at 718 748-1457

### **FH Library Open House**

Thursday, September 29th...12PM -7PM Light Refreshments...404 Sterling Drive and Pershing Loop West...behind Post Theater 718 630-4875.

# NYC Recruitting Battalion wins 2004-2005 Commander's Cup Award

Fort Hamilton Sports & Fitness Staff and the Garrison Commander/CSM Caez will present on September 30th, at 14:30 the 2004 - 2005 Commander's Cup Trophy Award to LTC Feliciano and his New York City Recruiting Battalion. The Ceremony will take place directly in front of the Recruiting Battalion. SFC Walter Baker is the Athletic of the year

### Late Opening at CAC

The Community Activities Center will open at 1400 hours on Sunday, Oct 2 due to maintenance repairs. Bldg 124.

#### **Special Days in October**

1st...Ragamuffin Parade
2nd...3rd Avenue Festival
3rd & 4th....Rosh Hashanah
4th...First Day of Radaman
10th...Columbus Day (Federal Holiday)
12th & 13th ....Yom Kippur
14th...SAS...Hispanic Heritage Day
20th...National Disability Awareness
27th...Newcomer's Orientation
29th...Retiree Appreciation Day
30th...Daylight Saving Time
31st...Happy Halloween

# Army Reserve Families & Soldiers affected by Hurricane Katrina

now have a way to contact the Army Reserve through a newly created call center...The toll free number for the center is 877 464 9330. Phones will be staffed around the clock. Staffers will record info that should help deployed Army REserve Soldiers determine the status and whereabouts of family members impacted by the Hurricane. Callers will also be screened to determine what other assistance they may need. Website: http://www.arfp.org.

# Donations for Hurricane Katrina Victims...

Needed....Brand new items...socks, underwear, body soap, travel kits, tooth paste, toothbrushes, shampoo, antibacterial soaps, dog food, cat food, blankets, sheets, children's toy and school supplies...Bring to Theresa Mapes Visitor Trailer...Front Gate...Mon - Fri 11am-3pm...for info...718 954-5063

#### 'LUNCH AND LEARN'

Rosh Hashanah 4 Oct. -- Yom Kippur 12 Oct.

Fort Hamilton Post Chapel would like to invite everyone to bring their lunch, from 12 to 1 PM, to the Chapel on *Friday, October 7* to a "Lunch and Learn". Chapel will provide drinks and dessert. Please RSVP if possible, but not necessary, 630-4969.

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# **Exceptional Family Member Program**

The Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) is a mandatory program designed to meet the needs of family members with physical, emotional, developmental or learning difficulties that requires special medical treatment, therapy, or education. To enroll your family member in the EFMP, please contact Brenda Shea the the ainsworth Clinic at 718 630-4611. For all questions concerning the EFMP, please contact the EFMP Manager, Vincent DiMaira, at ACS at 718 630-4460.

### Family Advocacy Program classes for the month of October

Marriage Enrichment: Thursdays: 5:45-7:45PM at ACS-Building 405 October 6,13,20,27

#### Stress Management:

Thursdays: 4:30PM-5:30PM at ACS-Building 405 October 6,13,20,27

#### **Youth Choices:**

Wednesdays: 4:00PM- 5:00PM at Youth October 5,12,19,26

Parent Education Wednesdays: 5:15PM-7:15PM at ACS-Building 405 October 5,12,19,26

For more information and to arrange childcare support for these classes...please contact Vincent DiMaira at 718 630-4460

### Hispanic Heritage performance by The **Children of School Age** Services

October 14th...4-6PM...Building 113....For more info...Call Eileen at 718 630-4157

#### Youth Center Activities

Must register at Central Registration, Building 137C, Apt. 1B (718) 630-4805 Parent - Youth Walking/Hiking Tours October 15...Smithville Regional State Park...Departs 9:00AM...Sign up by 6PM

Oct. 22...Sandy Hook Lighthouse State Park...Departs 10AM....Sign up by 6PM

Trips depart from the Youth Center...Bldg 125....For more info call Mr. Russ 718 630-4815.

### Military Retiree **Appreciation Day**

(Retirees from all services are welcome) Saturday, October 29 at the Fort Hamilton Theater...RAD program from 9am-11am. Informational & Health Fair to follow 10:30AM- 2PM athe Fort Hamilton's Fitness Center....Fort Hamilton Community Club will be serving lunch at 11:30PM for \$8.00per person... For more info, Call Fort Hamilton RSO at 718 630-4552 or 4930

### **Sports & Fitness Center**

Building 402 718 630-4727/4793 Martial Arts Karate & Ju Jitsu every Thursday from 1900-1950...featuring European Champion Jiri "George" Cermak..Bring the Entire Family Wallyball League (not Volleyball) Rules are govern by (AUMP) Association of United Wallyball Players...www.aump.org League will start October 19th. Now accepting Teams. For more info call Mike Ingram at 718 630-4830 <u>Mid-Morning Abs</u> Mon - Wed - Fri 11:00AM After Work Crunch Tuesdays & Thursdays at 6PM <u>Civilian Fitness Program</u> Stop by...get your questions answered & Sign Up.

#### Mass Transit

Transit Voucher distribution will be 25 Oct, 0900-1500, Bldg 114, 2nd Floor.

## September 30 2005 Ragamuffin Parade

Saturday, October 1st parade kicks off at 1:00PM travels along 3rd Avenue from 68th Street to 92nd Street... A yearly tradition....children of all ages march along in costume...a fun day for all...Children must register to participate...Registration forms available at Building 114, Room 244...for more info Call 718 630-4783

#### 3rd Avenue Festival

Sunday, Oct 2nd...Brooklyn's largest festival...from 69th Street to 95th Street on 3rd Avenue in Bay Ridge, Brooklyn 10am-6pm...Food, Live Music, Vendors, Rides and Games...Rain or Shine.

#### Fort Hamilton's Community **Club** 718 833-9772/73

New Menu...No More Buffets!!!

Karaoke

Every Wednesday 8PM-12Midnight A La Carte Nights, Tuesday, Friday and

5-9PM Tuesday thru Friday 6-10PM Saturday Sunday Champagne Brunch

11AM-2PM ...Menu features a complete breakfast buffet and multiple lunch entrees...Some items include Salad Bar, Omelet Station, Dessert table, Roasted Vegetable Display, Seafood and much more. Oktoberfest Buffet The Quarterly Membership Appreciation Dinner)

Friday, September 30th....6-10PM... Members \$10...Non-Members \$25....German Vuffet featuring Assorted Wurst, Schnitzel, German Sides and more. German Beer also available. Live entertainment performed by The "One Man Oompah Band" Werner Goebel...Werner specializes in Schlager, Songs, Oldies and of course all the "Oompah"... Werner also plays the "Swiss Cowbells"

### The Good News Club at the FH Post Chapel

Every Tuesday...7-8PM...Children 4-12 years old...but all children are welcome. For more info call...the Post Chapel at 718 630-4969

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# New York City Street Fairs and Festivals

Saturday October 1

University Place - C.O.R.E. Festival (on University Place from Waverly Pl.- 14th Street)

Sunday October 2

N.Y.C. Octoberfest

(on Lexington Avenue from 42nd - 57th Street)

Saturday October 8

Union Square Autumn Fair

(on Park Avenue South from 17th - 23rd Street)

Sunday October 9

Lexington Avenue Fall Festival

(on Lexington Avenue from 34th - 42nd Street)

Monday October 10

Columbus Day Festival

(On Broadway from Battery Place - Fulton St. & On Whitehall St. from Water - Stone St.)

Saturday October 15

8th Avenue Autumn Festival

(on 8th Avenue from 42nd - 57th Street)

Sunday October 16th

Avenue of the Americas Family Expo (on Avenue of the Americas from 42nd - 56th Street)

Friday October 21

Financial Community Day Festival Series

(on Maiden Lane from Water - South Street)

Saturday October 22nd

Washington Square Festival

(on Waverly Pl. from Broadway - 5th Avenue)

Sunday October 23

The Great Third Avenue Fair (on Third Avenue from 23rd - 34th Street)

Saturday October 29

Park Avenue South Autumn Fair (on Park Avenue South from 17th - 23rd St.)

Sunday October 30

Times Square Halloween Carnival (on 7th Avenue from 47th - 57th Street)

### Sports & Fitness Center Renovations and partial closure

Bldg 402 Sports & Fitness Center will be Closed, Friday, 21 October 2005. Impact not electrical power. Power will be disconnected from 0700 until 1700 P.M.(Bldg 401 demolition feeds off same line as FC).

Effective 7 thru 25 October the Sports & Fitness Center will under go renovations - in the following areas, main entrance foyer, customer service desk, ladies and men lockers. Basement locker rooms will receive a fresh coat of paint. There will be no access into these areas, during this period.

Limited Service...

However, the cardio and free weight and basement areas will be fully operational. Towel service will be suspended and limited showering for the ladies due to scope of work being performed. Please, allow more time after completion of workouts - we ask all commander's and supervisors for their cooperation.

#### **Basketball Tournament**

2nd Annual Thanksgiving Classic November 18-20...Open International...Slam Dunk Contest...3 Point Shootout...Tip off at 1900 on Nov. 18...Register your team today. \$400 per team or \$450 per team with T Shirt. 1st eight teams to register by November 7th will be entered into a drawing to win a free turkey. For more info call Mike Ingram, Director...Sports & Fitness Center (718) 630-4830

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### Heads Up...The Army Band Concert is



### coming to town....

Coming Soon!!! Friday, November 11th at Trinity Church in Manhattan and Saturday, November 12th at Lincoln Center...More info in next's week Fort Hamilton Newsletter...

# **2005 Alternate Side Parking Rules Suspension Calendar**

Rosh Hashanah Oct. 4-5, Tues / Wed Columbus Day (Observed) Oct. 10, Mon Yom Kippur Oct. 13, Thurs Succoth (2 days) Oct. 18-19, Tues / Wed Shemini Atzereth Oct. 25, Tues Simchas Torah Oct. 26, Wed All Saints Day Nov. 1, Tues Idul Fitri Nov. 3-5, Thurs / Fri / Sat Election Day Nov. 8, Tues Veterans Day Nov. 11, Fri Thanksgiving Day Nov. 24, Thurs Immaculate Conception Dec. 8, Thurs Christmas Day (Observed) Dec. 26, Mon Christmas Day (Observed) Dec. 26, Mon